

Dear FCC:

I am totally opposed to any efforts by the NAB to restrict XM or other satellite radio services. XM and SIRIUS should be given the opportunity to present local programming. The local radio stations should not see this as a threat but an opportunity. Perhaps the day will come where you can get your local radio stations via satellite, much like you can receive local broadcast networks now on DirecTV and DishNetwork. Consumers demand quality and variety which satellite offers and should not be held back by the NAB just because they are afraid of competition. Competition, in the end makes a better product for all. Please do not bow to the lobbying pressure.

Thank you,

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